

PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL LETTER

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BOLLIG-2 (CONT)

TO THE COMMISSIONER OF PATENTS AND TRADEMARKS:

Transmitted herewith for filing is a C-I-P patent application of GEORG BOLLIGFOR: THIN-STRIP CASTING DEVICE

☒ The Application is a: ☒ Continuation ☐ Divisional ☐ Continuation-in-Part (CIP)
And Priority is claimed under 35 U.S.C. 120 for the following:
prior application No.: 10/010,528 filed on December 7, 2001
Examiner: Kuang Y. Lin Group Art Unit: 1725

ENCLOSED ARE:

☒ 3 sheet(s) of formal drawing(s)
☐ sheet(s) of informal drawing(s)
☐ an Assignment of the invention, with required cover sheet, to

☒ Priority is claimed under 35 U.S.C. 119 for the following application(s):
German No. 100 61 882.0 filed December 12, 2000

☐ a certified copy of the aforesaid application is enclosed.
☒ a certified copy of the aforesaid application was submitted in the parent application.
☐ Associate Power of Attorney enclosed.

CLAIMS AS FILED

FOR	NUMBER FILED	NUMBER EXTRA	RATE	FEE
TOTAL CLAIMS	11 - 20	0	X \$ 18.00	\$ 0.00
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	1 - 3	0	X \$ 84.00	\$ 0.00
BASIC FEE (\$750)				
REDUCED FEE (\$375)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Independent Inventor	<input type="checkbox"/> Small Business Concern		\$375.00

TOTAL FILING FEE: \$375.00

☒ Applicant claims Small Entity status.
☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required at any time during the prosecution of this application without specific authorization, except for the Base Issue Fee, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 03-2468. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
☒ A Check in the amount of \$ 375.00 is enclosed. This check covers:
☒ the filing fee
☐ the filing fee and the Assignment recordal fee.
☒ Other Information Disclosure Statement, PTO-1449 form, PTO-892 form and 12 refs

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